

FISCAL NOTE

HB 592 - SB 631

March 5, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Amends the retirement law by deleting the requirement that a member must have been retired for at least one year from the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System (TCRS) before returning to such full-time employment as a K-12 teacher.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Expenditures - \$4,494,000 Annual Amortized Cost
\$79,000 Division of Retirement**

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures* - \$2,943,000 Annual Amortized Cost

Estimate assumes:

- Total lump sum liability of \$75,000,000
- 20-year amortization of lump sum liability
- Funding ratio between state and local is 60% state and 40% local education agencies
- Administrative costs of \$79,000 for two positions and related costs in the Division of Retirement

**Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director